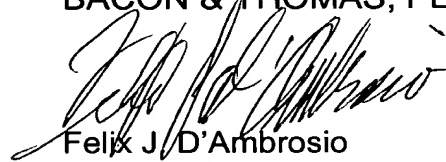


**REMARKS**

The cancellation of claims 1 - 20 places this application in condition for allowance with claims 21- 31.

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